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Our columns are open to one correspondent at every town and postoffice in Wakulla county. We want the news from each settlement, and correspondents will be allowed to say all the good things they like about their own town or settlement, but not one word will be published running down any other section of the county. We also reserve the right to strike out any unpleasant personalities. We propose to make the BREEZE a county paper and not a personal or local organ.

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W. W. Walker,
Crawfordville, Fla.

Car load of salt, just received, 70 cents per sack at W. W. Walker's.

Remember that subscriptions are payable in advance. If you cannot spare a whole dollar, try a quarter's worth.

Full line of Harness, Saddles, Bridles and all saddlery goods, just received and for sale at lowest prices at

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—Towles Drug Store.

Just received direct from one of the largest clothing manufacturers, over 200 pair of nicely assorted pants from 50c. per pair, up at

—W. W. Walker's.

LOCAL

A band of Gypsies passed through town to day.

Mr. W. E. Dickey, of River Sink, is in town to-day.

Rev. E. Trice of Tallahassee was in town this morning.

Capt. Inglis returned to day from Appalachicola court.

Mr. Adolphus Smith lost a good mule last week with colic.

The county officers complain that business is distressingly dull.

Mr. R. B. Council was summonsed to Appalachicola this week, as a witness.

Mr. Whitehead, who is at work on the St. Marks river was in town yesterday.

Mr. P. J. Groghan, was in town Monday representing Solomon & Son, of Savannah.

Mrs. Florence Mattair of carrabelle, is here visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. Giles.

Mr. Alfred Tucker caught and sold \$55. worth of mullet last week and the week before.

Mrs. Sallie Walker, of Tallahassee, spent several days this week with Crawfordville friends.

We made a slight mistake last week, the season for shooting turkey and deer does not open till November.

Capt. J. W. Inglis is attending court in Appalachicola this week, where he is a co-defendant in the Tucker-Metcalf case.

There is no spot on earth where a farmer can come as near making every thing that he needs to eat and wear as in Wakulla county.

Sallie the little eight year old daughter of Mr. F. Williamson, of Hilliardville, died last Tuesday, of catarrh of the stomach.

Mrs. Mattie Barco's little eight year old son, Martin, who has been sick for a long time with consumption, died this week at her home in this county.

Mr. Parker Williams, of Ogleshorpe Ga., who visited Crawfordville last spring, has picked up his pick and hiked off to the Klondike in search of gold.

Mrs. J. M. Quigg, whose husband is here in jail, has been quite ill ever since the birth of her child. The unfortunate father has not yet had a glimpse of his first born.

Col. Nat R. Walker left Sunday to attend circuit court this week at Appalachicola, where he appears for the defense in the case against the Tuckers for shooting Metcalf.

Troup, the faithful old 'possum dog, that has caught 25 'possums during the past few weeks for Mr. James McMillan, developed symptoms of hydrophobia this week and had to be killed.

Just think how much we lose in growing cotton to buy sugar. The same land planted in sugar cane would make nearly ten times as much sugar as we could buy with the cotton grown on it.

The lower end of the new road to Spring Creek was cut through last week. This shortens the route to that popular fishery, and gives a better road all the way, except a swampy place near Mr. Callahan's, and that can be avoided by a little surrounding.

Editor Crozier, of the Carrabelle Signal, was a pleasant visitor to our sanatorium last Sunday. He says that the Signal is receiving a liberal patronage and it could be largely increased if he just had an outfit for printing it at home, and he hopes to get that soon.

Elders W. Fred Tanner and LaFayette Dana of the church of the Latter Day Saints, were pleasant visitors to the BREEZE Sanatorium this week. These young men seem thoroughly in earnest in the work of building up their church in the south.

Stop A-Kicking.

Stop yer kickin' 'bout the times.
Git a hustle on you;
Skirmish 'round and grab the dimes,
Ef the dollars shun you;
Croakin' ngyer bought a dress,
Growlin' isn't in it.
Fix yer peepers on success,
Then go in to win it.
Times is gattin' good agin—
Try to help them all you kin.

Don't sit 'round with hangin' lip,
That is sure to floor you;
Try to get a better grip.
On the work before you.
Put some ginger in yer words,
When you greet a neighbor.
Throw your troubles to the birds,
Git right down to labor.
An' you'll notice every day
Things is comin' right your way.

Stop yer kickin', get a hold
Of the wheel an' turn it;
You kin never handle gold
'Less you try to earn it.
Brush the cobwebs from your eyes,
Stop yer blamin' repinin'.
An' you'll notice that yer skies
Will all 'us be a shinin'.
Ef you hain't the nerve to try,
Sneak away somewhere and die—Ex.

Good Enough For Us.

That good old time religion, which cheered and comforted our fathers and mothers in life, sustained them in trials and whispered hope and consolation in their dying hours, for hundreds of years before Joe Smith and his book of Mormon was ever heard of, is good enough for us.

We have no war however to make on Joe and his book, nor those who prefer to accept it as their light and guide.

This is a free country and we are glad that it is.

Our fathers came here to escape religious intolerance, and for that reason America should ever remain a place where any man may worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience, or not worship Him at all, if he so prefers.

The Canlk house, a large three story building that stood last week on Laura street, in Jacksonville is now standing in River side on the opposite side of the St. Johns river. Contractor Arnout, put it on rollers, rolled it down the street to the river and then on to two large barges which floated it down to its destination. Such an undertaking would have been considered impossible 50 years ago.

The Jacksonville T. U. & C. very correctly remarks: "In a county like ours it is a reproach that we import sugar. If we were more profitably employed, some excuse might be given, but we are not. We have climate, soil, labor and capital that cannot be more profitably employed than in saving to this country the immense sum annually paid to foreigners for sugar."

Uncle "Billy" Thomas of Wakulla county was in the city Wednesday with his wife. He bought a new buggy, tied his old vehicle behind, hitched up his animal, and started for home. Before he had gotten out of the city his mule ran away and broke the new buggy up. Mrs. Thomas was thrown from the buggy, but not seriously injured. —Floridian.

Some of the "boys" got hold of a bottle of alcohol last Saturday night, mixed it with home made wine, and proceeded to celebrate the Independence of America in a style truly Bacchanalian. The festivities finally wound up with a flourish of knives, a la Comanche war dance, and one of the jovial celebrators came out with a gash in his physical anatomy that required fixing up by Dr. Hunt.

In his sermon at Zion Hill last Sunday, Rev. W. A. Wier, went for the Mormon religion with gloves off, and some of the audience, we understand, felt aggrieved at his strictures and arose in church to enter their protest.

A sample of new syrup sent to the BREEZE this week by Mr. Ralph Causseaux, was so good that it completely spoiled our taste for the old syrup.

Age is telling upon Uncle Billy.

"Uncle Billy" Thomas, of Wakulla county, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his energetic better half. "Uncle Billy" is one of the oldest, widest known and universally respected citizens of his county, and has a large circle of friends and acquaintances throughout the state as well, for he was doorkeeper of the house of representatives a number of years and his genial jolly disposition attracted all those whom he came in contact with. Those persons who have lost track of him in latter years, will regret to learn that his health is failing rapidly and that blindness is slowly but surely, stealing upon him. In the midst of it all, however he has lost none of his old winning ways, and is the center of attraction for a large crowd wherever he appears.—Tallahasseean.

Rev. M. J. Webb of Appalachicola will preach at Arran Sunday morning; at the Methodist church in Crawfordville Sunday night. Mr. Webb is an earnest worker and deserves a large audience.

A full line of fine Toilet Soaps, Tooth Powders and Brushes, Face Powders etc., at Towles' Drug Store.

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BILL FOR DIVORCE.

In the Circuit Court of Florida a Second Judicial Circuit, In and for Wakulla County In Chancery.

John H. Holland, Complainant, vs. Emma Holland, Respondent.

It having been made to appear by the affidavit of John H. Holland, complainant in the above stated case, that the respondent, Emma Holland resides out side of the state of Florida, that she is more than twenty one years of age, and that there is no person in this state or circuit the service of a subpoena upon whom would bind such defendant. It is therefore ordered that the said defendant, Emma Holland, be, and she is hereby required to appear, plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint herein on or before Monday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1897, or else said Bill will be taken as confessed, provided this order be published once a week to and including the 25th day of October, A. D. 1897, in the Gulf Coast Breeze, a newspaper published in said county and circuit.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this 21st day of Sept., A. D. 1897.
John J. Harrell,
Clerk Circuit Court,
Wakulla Co., Fla.

Education Vs. Money.

Let us consider and realize the fact, that an industrious and virtuous education of children is a better inheritance for them than a great estate: far better than silver and gold presented from our hands, and causing them to seek such, before, through our noble efforts, we have caused them this to acquire. To what purpose is it to heap up great estates and have no concern as to what manner of heirs we cause our posterity to be.

Education to the child is indeed a reward of life time benefit; and that so great, though all things else may be devoured, our houses and lands may be taken from us, the enemy may afflict us but he cannot touch that precious gem, which, with the opportunity, all of Gods rational beings can possess.

Parents, think not because you are poor you cannot educate your child, for what was possible in George Washington and Abraham Lincoln's day is possible in ours, but the school boy of to day has considerable advantage over that of those great heroes. We could not ask for greater facilities and opportunities to rear ourselves useful men and women, while Lincoln made himself a great and useful man in persistent study by the light of a pine knot fire.

Statistics show that more of our rich men are born of poor parents than of rich parents.

A boy or a girl who is taught how to work, and who knows that he or she must depend upon his or her own efforts for success, is more apt to succeed in business than the one who is left a large estate, with little knowledge of work, or the sacrifices which had to be made by the parents who obtained the estate.

Parents, if possible, cause your children to "covet earnestly the best gifts" and you will be shown the more excellent way."

—F. T. G.—

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you have anything to trade,
you have anything to buy,
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